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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

A. T. & SANTA FE.		GOING EAST.	
Passenger.	7:30 a. m.	Passenger.	1:30 p. m.
Second Class.	8:00 a. m.	Second Class.	2:00 p. m.
Way freight.	8:30 a. m.	Way freight.	2:30 p. m.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

OFFICE HOURS.		CLOSURE.	
Work days.	7:30 a. m.	7:30 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
Sundays.	8:00 a. m.	8:00 a. m.	8:00 a. m.
Way freight.	8:30 a. m.	8:30 a. m.	8:30 a. m.

A. F. & A. M.—ST. BERNARD LODGE.

Regular meeting in Odd Fellows Hall, on 1st and Chestnut streets, Second and Fourth Fridays of each month, at 7:30 p. m. All excommunicated members are cordially invited to attend. L. C. HARTMAN, N. G.

K. OF P.—APOLLO LODGE, 62.

Holds its regular convention every Thursday, at 7:30 p. m., corner First and Chestnut streets. All visiting brothers are cordially invited. L. C. HARTMAN, N. G.

I. O. O. F.—CORONA LODGE.

Holds its regular convention every Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m., corner First and Chestnut streets. All visiting brothers are cordially invited. L. C. HARTMAN, N. G.

LOCAL NEWS.

He is a sweet singer from Ford.

"In my little bed" now I sing—Globe.

"Put me in my little bed," as sung by the Globe.

And the Salvation Army" is the army that won't save the Globe ticket.

"Rock me to sleep," as sung by Pat Sughrue, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"Going to bed early," as sung by Pat Sughrue, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"I wish I had staid up a little later"—Pat Sughrue, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"How to go to bed early," as sung by Pat Sughrue, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

E. Pluribus Blagh, Erin go Unum as sung by Tom Lahey, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"Until daylight doth appear," as sung by the Singer boys, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"Now I lay me down to sleep," as sung by the Globe man, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

Pat Sughrue will wish he hadn't gone to bed so early, about Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"As we go marching along," as sung by Fred Singer, 2 a. m., Wednesday morning, November 7th, 1883.

And we'll hang Jeff Davis on a sour apple tree, as sung by Fred Singer, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"We won't go home until morning, until daylight doth appear," as sung by Tom Lahey, Tuesday evening, November 6th.

"We are coming Father Abraham, ten thousand strong," as sung by Tom Lahey, midnight of Tuesday, November 6th.

Fred Singer will go into his "little bed" about 4 a. m. Wednesday morning, November 7th, when daylight doth appear.

And the campaign is getting a little warm, and if any one is too feeble to stand the racket he had better go to bed early.

Mrs. J. F. Moore, sister of Mrs. McIntyre and Mrs. Emerson, is visiting here this week. Her home is in La Veta, Colo.

There is such a thing as putting a candidate to bed too early—and while he is asleep in his "little bed," the other boys are taking in the cake.

MARRIED.—On Crooked Creek, Mr. Harvey Price to Miss Cora Ayers, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. N. G. Collins, Oct. 25th, 1883.

The circus brought lots of silver to town—and perhaps the circus took away lots of silver. At any rate there was some money that changed hands.

"The duty of the Christian to the State" is the subject announced by Rev. A. P. George for his discourse next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

And Mr. Anthony is such a nice man, and Mr. Zimmermann is such a horrid man. What makes Mr. Anthony so nice? Because he is Frost's brother-in-law. And what makes Mr. Zimmermann so ugly? Because he kept Frost out of the penitentiary.

Scene in court room, Dodge City.—Attorney to jurymen—what is your business?

Jurymen—I am a colporteur.

Attorney—What did you say?

Jurymen—Colporteur.

Attorney—O, yes, colporteur.

Aside to a brother attorney: What did he say? Colporteur—what is the devil in that?

The best smoking tobacco is "Little Joker."

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe

railroad company has increased the pay of conductors, brakemen and baggage-men. A circular has been issued by the company fixing a uniform standard of pay, and this circular sets forth the purpose of the company towards the employees named: For the purpose of encouraging continuous service and efforts at promotion. Advanced rank and pay is made in accordance with efficient and meritorious service. The pay is fixed on monthly basis, 6,000 miles being a month's work. The pay of these men is increased to third year when the standard is fixed permanently. Brakemen will receive from \$55 to \$60 the first year, and conductors \$100 to \$120 during the two years service. The Santa Fe company has done a wise and judicious action. There is something to stimulate to better service, and certainly no class of men have been so poorly paid as the overworked trainmen.

There was a carnival in Dodge Monday evening—and the Globe man was not invited, and he is hurt thereto—in which some of the boys held a deviltry, so to speak. Well, we are not commending any such business; but the Globe says at this time Mr. Sughrue was in his "little bed," thus giving the inference that Mr. Sughrue is too nice to stay up nights or "run with the boys." We'll wager the Globe man's hat that Pat was not asleep at the time mentioned by the Globe—we will wager that Pat was looking over the bed covers, and with both ears wide open, wondering what in Sam Blazes was going on. P. S. Pat was up at daylight to find out what had been done.

F. C. Zimmermann states that he has not lumber enough for his customers just at present, owing to scarcity of cars, and never had nor will have lumber to rot on his hands; and did not make or order one part for the prospective poor house. As to the building of a poor house, Mr. A. J. Anthony, brother-in-law of D. M. Frost, was in favor of a new poor house, as the old one is unsafe to live in; it may blow down at any strong wind, any one saying it was my plan to build one is a willful liar. F. C. ZIMMERMANN.

The board of County Commissioners, at their last meeting, instructed the county attorney to bring suit against W. H. Harris and P. F. Sughrue, for the recovery of the amount of forfeited bond in the case of John S. McCarty, the "confidence" man who was on trial last February, and who escaped conviction by jumping bail, and subsequently dying of small-pox at a ranch south of this point. McCarty, it will be remembered, robbed a man on the train between Spearville and Dodge City.

Rev. Mr. George will preach a political sermon in the Union Church, Sunday morning. We believe he will take his text from that particular chapter in Dodge's political history known as the Glick Guards, I ch. IV. "And it shall come to pass that the wicked shall flee to the mountains of Hepzibah, where the lion roareth and the whang-doodle mourneth for its first born."

John Robinson's circus exhibited here on Monday. There was a good attendance at both performances, notwithstanding there is sparsely settled country to "draw from." It is estimated that about 1,500 people were present at the afternoon performance. The exhibition was very good. The menagerie was in fine shape and attracted the crowd.

The editor extends his profound thanks to Mr. Steele, an attaché of Robinson's menagerie and circus, for courtesy shown on the morning previous to the exhibition. We were shown the animals and the history of each one was given to us. We were much entertained and highly gratified on this proffered courtesy.

John W. Jones, who has a cattle ranch south of this point killed two antelope on Sand creek one day last week. The antelope were engaged in a conflict when killed, the horns of each other being locked together, and one of the animals was lying down.

Another candidate for commissioner has been brought forward in the third district. J. L. Shoup, John Schmor and F. M. Davis are now candidates. Mr. Davis is the candidate just brought out. The contest would seem to be in favor of Mr. Shoup.

Theo. Sitakover, of Pardyville, Kas., left at our office two large boars, one weighing 8 lbs and one 7 1/2 lbs. He presented us also with a ratabaga weighing 5 1/2 lbs. Mr. S. raised a fine lot of vegetables on his farm near Pardyville.

James Simpson died at the county poor house Thursday night last, of typhoid fever, after a lingering illness. The deceased was a native of Canada, and was about 28 years of age. He was a resident of Dodge for only a few months.

Ladies approve of your smoking "Little Joker."

Bat Masterson.

Col. Bat Masterson, a well known character in the west, has discarded his former illegitimate business and has adopted newspaper writing as a profession. While Col. Masterson's literary effusions do not have moral or religious tendencies, they are chaste productions in a literary way. The fine artistic style in which Col. Bat writes the pen is adding fame to his already illustrious name. Col. Masterson is now associate editor of the Ford County Globe, and the last number of that paper bears ample evidence of this statement. The Globe has long needed a brainy editor, and the substitution of brains for adipose tissue is certainly commendable, and must be highly appreciated by the readers of that journal. As a newspaper writer Bat is gaining distinction.

New goods constantly arriving at the store of G. S. EMERSON.

Speaking dolls, a fine lot just received at Mrs. Lemert's, north of the Wright House.

Chas. Shields, the tinner, does repairing of all kinds of tin sheeting, iron, copper or zinc work with neatness and dispatch.

According to the report published in the Kansas City Journal, in every practical analytical test made of the common sorghum-cane and sugar cane, of the West Indies (the class commonly grown in Louisiana), the sorghum has proven to be superior in saccharine qualities. The saccharine principle of sugar and sorghum is not taken from the earth, but it is absorbed from the atmosphere. The crystal or ordinary brown sugar from the sorghum cane, examined through a microscope, shows every crystal to be clear as glass, three-cornered and pointed also prismatic. It will turn out a greater per cent. of white granulated sugar than any sugar made by any other process.

Potatoes by the car load, fresh and sound, just received by G. S. EMERSON.

Any person wishing tinware made to order will do well to call on Chas. Shields.

Get your money's worth in cigars at Hartman's cigar store.

Next Year's Ice Crop.

The ice men of this section are fearing a scarcity of that article this winter. An open winter is confidently predicted, and anticipatory thereto the remains of last winter's crop is sparingly used and saved. The reason assigned is that when the sun crossed the line a few days ago the wind was directly in the south, and they assert that it is an old and never-failing saying that whatever direction the wind takes on such a day such will be its prevailing direction for the next six months to come.—Parson's Sun.

Choice groceries, a large assorted stock, just received by G. S. EMERSON.

Just received a fresh invoice of fine cigars. HARTMAN & CO.

A full line of millinery goods just received at Mrs. Lemert's, north of the Wright House.

A prominent cattle man residing in Wichita is just in from the Territory, where he has extensive interests. He reports the cattle in the Territory and southwestern Kansas in prime condition. Feed upon the range is excellent, are cattle are fat. There has been no frost to hurt the range thus far. With the amount of millet and prairie hay now in the stack, with the amount of shelter which has been built by stockmen, there is little excuse for loss of stock during the coming winter. Stock of all kinds is very high.

Apples, a good quality, fall and winter use, just received by G. S. EMERSON.

The finest and best lot of tinware ever brought to the city for sale at Charlie Shield's tinware emporium, postoffice block.

The best nickel cigar at Hartman & Co's.

All kinds of job tin work will receive prompt attention at Chas. Shield's, four doors west of postoffice.

Plumb in Chicago.

Senator Plumb was among the state fair visitors to the city. I came on him as he stood, one foot in the gutter and the other on the curb, insisting that New England men didn't know what Kansas wool-growers wanted. The Senator shook hands with me, said he remembered me quite well, met me in Topeka, or Leavenworth, or Washington, he didn't know nor didn't care which, but he wanted to call my attention to unconscious bursts of speed on the part of Chicago pedestrians when they heard a bell ring. I explained that the bell was a warning that the bridge was going to turn, and that when they heard the preliminary tap people ran to get across.

Mr. Plumb, when you see him at a little distance, looks like a boy with a prevailing disposition to drop you a sly wink, but the distance does him injustice because at close range his face has maturity, age and strength. And when he discovered that the Chicago horses attached to street cars or wagons broke, without urging, into a gallop at the sound of the warning tap of the bridge bell, and that they seemed to enjoy the scramble as much as the men and women, he said he had light on some of Davis' eccentricities that he never could account for before.—Inter-Ocean.

A SCRAP OF HISTORY.

Description of a Fight with Desperadoes Fifteen Years Ago.

From the Laramie Boomerang.

October 18, 1863, will be remembered by all the old pioneers of Laramie as a most momentous one in her history. Fifteen years ago the moral element of the then little frontier town asserted itself and four human lives were offered up on the altar of law and order, with most gratifying results. At that time there was no such thing as law—at least, no such thing as what we now term as law—in Laramie. Men settled their difficulties by resorting to the revolver or knife, and in those personal hand-to-hand encounters the victors were usually the heroes of the hour—the victims were hurried under the ground and no questions asked. Robbery and paring were of daily occurrence, and murder not unfrequent. There gradually arose in the midst of the better portion of the people a feeling of uneasiness and fear for their safety. Steps were soon taken to organize a Vigilance Committee, and the first organization of this character was perfected in August, and numbered at this time only twenty members. In the new city directory, which will make its appearance next week, we find, under the head of "Early History," a well-written description of the work of this and a subsequently organized committee, together with a graphic picture of the fight with the desperadoes and subsequent lynching of four of their number. October 18, 1863. Fifteen years ago to-day. From advance sheets of this forthcoming work, kindly furnished us by the compilers, Messrs. Garrett & Morgan, we make the following extracts:

There were a few worthy and very resolute men in this first vigilante organization, but its only substantial fruit was the hanging of a young man called "Kid" during the last days of August, in the building occupied as a residence for some years afterward by our worthy townsman, John Keen. But the hanging of this miserable, insignificant creature created an excitement among the roughs, and they at once organized thoroughly—not only for resistance, but for aggressive movement; They boasted of their strength, and threatened all who dared complain of their misdeeds with vengeance dire! Among the leaders of the roughs may be mentioned Con Wagner, Asa Moore, Big Ned, Sam Dugan, Tiger Bill, Morris Kohn and Dave Mullen.

Their organization and their daily crimes finally united all the better elements of our society, and in a very short time a new vigilance committee was formed, numbering 300 to 500 men. These men were all thoroughly armed, and on the night of the 18th of October, 1863—a day long to be remembered by the old residents of Laramie—this committee met at an appointed place on the west side of the railroad track, in the city, and divided into squads and proceeded to different parts of the town. It was the intention to make a descent at precisely the same moment on all the most prominent gambling halls in the town, and take out without any great disturbance some of the most noted murderers and robbers, and quietly hang them before their companions could rally sufficient force to rescue them. But fate had ordained otherwise. The squad of men assigned to the dance-house known as the "Belle of the West" gathered around the doors of the same—a brilliantly lighted hall filled with dancers. Gaudily dressed women, gamblers and desperadoes were whirling through the intricate maze of the dance, their nimble feet keeping time to sweet music, which floated in ravishing strains upon the evening air, and ever and anon a burst of merriment would fill the room, in which were mingled the silvery dulcet tones of woman's voice, "fair, though frail, yet women still." The saturnalian festival was at its height when a pistol shot, loud and clear, rang out upon the night air. This shot was the signal for a simultaneous attack at several points in the town, but owing to some undue excitement with this part of the committee, the signal was premature, and the attack was made at this point only. But at the signal, a shout, a rush, and it was confusion. The roughs, being well armed, resisted the attack of the vigilantes with desperation, and fought like tigers driven to bay.

What a scene was there, where but a few minutes before all was gayety. The sweet strains of melody were hushed, and in their stead came harsh, discordant sounds, tumultuous, wild and prophetic of doom to the desperado. For fifteen minutes the sharp crack from the deadly revolvers made music to the weeping and wailing of the women, and the shouts and muttered curses of the men. The smoke from the pistols gathered in a cloud, and hung like a pall over the heads of the doomed, as if to shut out from the sight of the angels the dark scene below. The roughs were overpowered, and the results were three men killed—one of the committee, one a member of the band of music, and one a noted desperado—and about fifteen men wounded, some quite seriously, and three of the leading roughs, Con Wagner, Asa Moore and Big Ned were taken from the place and hung at the same place where the "Kid" was hung in August. About sunrise the next morning Big Steve, another noted robber and murderer, was captured and hung to a telegraph pole near where South B street crosses the railroad track.

The lesson thus taught the hard characters who infested the city was heeded. Within a very few days the larger portion or the roughs left for "fairer fields and pastures new," while others joined the vigilantes and became the most rampant and blatant advocates of order, virtue and honesty.

The vigilance committee, as originally formed, had now served its chief purpose in ridding the town of its worst characters, and a majority of the really good men in the committee soon dropped out of the organization. This, of course, left it to a large degree in the hands of

uncorruptible, bad men, whose chief object was revenge. They could, under guise of public protectors and avengers of public wrongs, murder their personal enemies and go unwhipped of justice. Those now living in Laramie who were among the residents of the town during the first year of its existence are unanimous in the declaration of a sincere wish that it may never again be their misfortune to live under such trying and terrible circumstances.

SPEARVILLE ITEMS.

—Mrs. I. N. Vanvorhis arrived here Wednesday of last week from a visit to her parents in Warsaw, Indiana.

—Mrs. M. G. Tobias returned last Friday evening from a visit to friends near Hamilton, Ohio.

—William Eaton has succeeded J. G. Miller as salesman at George Hall & Co. Mr. Miller has taken up his residence in the country for the winter for the purpose of caring for a herd of ponies.

—J. M. Leidigh, his brother, T. F. Leidigh, and John Stewart, returned on Thursday of last week from their hunt south of the territory. "On account of the inclement weather they were scarcely able to hunt any, therefore the game of that part of the country escaped leaden missiles, and the hunter, as a consequence, eat no turkey."

—Urich Crain and H. H. Crawford, have commenced a 60 foot addition for I. N. Vanvorhis to his drug store building, when completed he will enlarge his present stock of drugs, boots and shoes by adding dry goods, groceries, coal and feed.

Rev. A. P. George recently informed us there was about \$200 more subscribed to the building fund of the church, and they expected to make arrangements very soon to have the carpenter work commenced.

—Mr. A. T. Soule, of Rochester, N. Y., has been stopping here for the past two weeks in company with the Gilbert brothers for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization of the Eureka Irrigating Canal Co., which is now completed with a capital stock of \$400,000. Work is expected to commence at the earliest possible time, and will be delayed only sufficiently long enough to make the necessary preliminary arrangements for the construction of said canal.

Two tons strictly pure white lead at 88 per 100 pounds at F. C. Zimmermann's store. 20-1m.

APPLES.

I have received a car load of choice winter apples and will sell them by the barrel or in any quantity to suit.

J. H. CRAWFORD.

Just received a lot of those magnificent White and New Home Sewing Machines, which are so popular with the ladies, and which I offer at low prices. F. C. Zimmermann. 20-1m.

HORSES FOR SALE.

175 head of horses for sale, embracing work horses, saddle horses, brood mares and young stock. Will sell cheap for cash, or trade for good property. Inquire of R. M. WRIGHT, Dodge City, Sept. 27, 1883. tf.

ATTENTION, LADIES.

The undersigned is prepared to do all kinds of rag carpet weaving. All kinds of carpet chain constantly on hand, and ready-made carpets for sale. Address Wm. H. GILLARD, Office, Kas. 6m

Tin roofing a specialty, for particulars call at address Chas. Shields.

A fine assortment of "speaking" dolls to be found at Mrs. Lemert's millinery rooms, north of the Wright House.

Special attention paid to setting up stoves in any part of the city by Chas. Shields, the pioneer tinner.

A RUN ON A DRUGSTORE.

Never was such a rush made for any drug store as is now at the City Drug store for a Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. All persons affected with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can get a trial bottle of this great remedy free, by calling at above drugstore. Regular size \$1.00.

A liberal reward will be paid to any party who will produce a case of Liver, Kidney or Stomach complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure. Bring them along it will cost you nothing for the medicine if it fails to cure, and you will be well rewarded for your trouble besides. All Blood diseases, Biliousness, Jaundice, Constipation, and general debility are quickly cured. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price only fifty cents per bottle. For sale by the City Drug Store.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN.

ONE CORNEL WORK HORSE, branded G on left hip, U in under it and AZ on the hip below the U.

One Large Bay Road Boy Work Horse branded S on right jaw, A on right shoulder and B on right thigh.

One Bay Saddle Pony with AZ on left shoulder and "W" known egg brand on right thigh. Missing since the night of October 15 between Mr. Brown's and Mark's on Jones & Finmer trail.

\$25 reward will be paid leading to recovery of same. Address J. S. ASHOLD, Zulu, Texas, via Dodge City, Kas.

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